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## The County Fair Plans Under Way; Opens September 14

The 87th annual fair of the Franklin County Agricultural Society will open at Franklin Park in Greenfield on Monday, Sept. 14 and arrangements already completed promises that the fair will overshadow the successful fairs of many years past. President Dole of the Society, the trustees and the general superintendents held a meeting recently at the grounds and took up in detail all the arrangements. Many of the buildings are to be improved and re-decorated. Provision for greater and larger displays are to be made and the program enlarged to include a non-ending list of events during the progress of the fair.

The annual sale of season tickets is moving forward by the various committees in charge and it is proposed that at least 4000 shall be subscribed for at one dollar each.

In the amusement section a fine display of fireworks has been contracted for, a large number of acts of vaudeville secured and many attractions on the midway allotted.

Horse racing will bring a high degree of satisfaction as many fine racing stables will be represented. All roads will lead to the County Fair very soon and hundreds will take a holiday to enjoy the event.

## Parsons Acclaims Candidate Haigis

John W. Haigis will be elected governor of Massachusetts "if the voters of the state have in them the same sense he has of what public office demands," declared Herbert C. Parsons, former probate commissioner and business partner of Haigis, in a radio address at Boston last week. Mr. Parsons, who is a son of Northfield said in part:

"He will be elected if the voters of the state share his determination that the state government shall be rescued from extravagance, from waste of their money, from abuse of their power, from the corruption of the commonwealth. It is the people of Massachusetts who are on trial. It is upon them and not alone upon candidates of any party that judgment will be pronounced in the next election."

"Every Republican voter has a duty to his party in rallying to the support of such a candidate. It is the one way in which the party can be called back to the honorable place it has held in the years of its administration of the state's affairs under a succession of high-type governors. With it should go the election of every one of the candidates for state office behind whom the party has placed its united choice."

"The duty of the hour is not partisan. It is more than personal, however earnest the personal feeling. Those of both Republicans and Democrats, who hold our party attachment highly enough to elect unworthy nominations, are moved by the plight of our state government. Massachusetts has not collapsed. Her government has. Her citizens have not hopelessly bowed to the man of personal gain. They are not long to bow in humiliation over the perversion of government to personal and cheap political ends. They are not indifferent to waste and misappropriation of the money they and all of them contribute to the public treasury."

"If this be true, if the state is indeed sensitive of its honor, conscious of its duty, alive to its obligations, then there is only the need that it have, along with other certainties, a leader who has the character, the ability, the courage, to bring the government back to its traditional character of faithful and honorable service of the people and all the people's sacred interests."

## Finds Ready Sale Intimate Life Book Of Evangelist Moody

Since the appearance of the intimate word picture biography of Dwight L. Moody entitled "Moody Still Lives" by Arthur Percy Fitt of East Northfield, his former secretary, many hundreds of copies have been sold and the book is filling a long felt need by those who want to know something of his intimate and personal life.

Mr. Fitt is to be congratulated on his efforts and it is gratifying to learn that the book is probably the best seller in connection with the coming D. L. Moody



centenary which will be celebrated next year.

D. John McDowell, chairman of the centenary committee after reading the book thus expressed himself: "An opportune volume. As I read it, I seem again to hear the great evangelist and feel the lift of his personality. It is a first-hand estimate viewing D. L. Moody's life through the years, and pointing out those distinctive qualities which made him so irresistible and influential. It will add to the significance of the anniversary."

When President Paul D. Moody of Middlebury College, the evangelist's son, read the book, he offered this testimonial of its contents: "The writer of this book, more than anyone else alive today, entered into my father's work and plans for the last seven years of his life. In brief compass, he has given an accurate and discriminating — I almost said, inspired outline of the life and activities of the man he loved devotedly and served faithfully. And it seems to me that he has drawn one of the most vivid and lifelike word pictures."

If any of our readers are interested in obtaining a copy, the Editor will be happy to refer all orders to the publisher which is the well-known firm of Fleming H. Revell Co.

## Sennett Sets New Northfield Mark

In the 18-hole exhibition golf match Tuesday on the Northfield Hotel links, Mac Sennett, pro at Greenfield Country club, made a record score of 87 on the present lengthened course. Sennett and Al Raymond, pro at The Northfield, took Gene Mosher, pro at Toy Town Tavern and Chic Occhialini, of Winchendon, four up and three to go before a gallery of about 100. Scores: Sennett, 34-33; Mosher, 38-36; Raymond, 38-38; Occhialini, 38-40.

Sennett played a great game—getting off good drives followed by long iron shots and excellent putts. Occhialini, a hard-hitting player, was unfortunate in that he was the only player who had never seen the course before. On the sixth, Occhialini recovered from a drive into the rough by an unusual chip shot onto the green. Again on the 18th, he chipped over trees for a good lie which put him on in three. Sennett laid a low one under a limb and over the trap onto the 13th green.

Although both Mosher and Raymond made some excellent shots and each took an occasional hole Sennett was in his best form.

## School Bells Ring Beginning Next Week; The Teachers' List

Next Tuesday, Sept. 8, the Northfield High School and the various grammar schools will open their doors to the young folks of town. Supt. L. W. Robbins says everything is in readiness. The work of cleaning, repairs and improvements have been finished in all the buildings and the teaching staff is complete.

A large enrollment is expected and the senior class of the high school will be larger than last year.

The most noticeable change in the teaching staff is the designation of Richard A. Cobb as principal of the high school to succeed Miss Lawley who remains as vice-principal. Four new teachers have been appointed to fill vacancies. The staff of our schools will now be as follows: Linville W. Robbins, Supt. of Schools, (Colby, U. of Maine, B. U. At the high school: Richard A. Cobb, principal, Amherst, English, Mathematics; Evelyn G. Lawley, vice-principal, Smith, Science, Mathematics; Julia B. Austin, Middlebury, Latin, History; Marion L. Mann, Russell Sage, French, Mathematics, Science; Charlotte B. Case, Mass. State, Domestic Science, English. Center School—Melvin H. Glazier, principal, Middlebury, grade 5, 6, 7, 8; Elizabeth G. Bond, assistant, North Adams; Helen M. Vorce, assistant, Middlebury; Mary E. Dalton, grades 3 and 4; June H. Wright, Wheelock School, grades 1 and 2.

East School—Leah Torri, Keene, grades 7 and 8; Katherine Eichert, North Adams, grades 4, 5, 6; Ada I. Bready, Westfield, grades 1, 2, 3.

West School—Elizabeth G. Braley, grades 5, 6, 7, 8; Beatrice E. Cembalyst, Fitchburg, grades 1, 2, 3, 4; Dorothy O. Totman, Fitchburg, grades 1 - 5.

Farms School—Verna Eastman, Fitchburg, grades 1 - 6.

## Appeals For Aid To Locate Sister

An appeal has been made by Miss Rose Schilling of Kenewick, Washington for assistance in finding and locating her sister, Catherine who is now Mrs. Mojeski, 43 years of age and a native of Albany, N. Y. She has resided in Springfield, Greenfield, and Northfield. She was last heard from while residing at Northfield. Anyone having information of the whereabouts of Mrs. Mojeski, should inform Mr. Hoehn of Northfield so that the information can be forwarded and the sisters united again.

## Trinitarian Church

Sunday School will meet at 10 o'clock. Preaching service at 11 when the pastor will occupy the pulpit and the chorus choir will be in their places under the direction of Prof. Lawrence.

At 7 o'clock the Senior Endeavor will meet for their regular service, leader, Miss Phelps.

At 8 o'clock Mr. Pace, noted cartoonist will have the service. Dr. Pace should be heard by all. Thursday at 7:30 the regular weekly prayer service followed by the choir rehearsal.

## Miss Purrington, R.N. New District Nurse; Names Office Hours

Miss Euphrasia Purrington, R. N., has been appointed by the Selectmen of Northfield, as District Nurse to succeed Mrs. Dean Williams, resigned. She will have her office at the town hall daily, except Saturday afternoon and Sunday between the hours of 8:30 and 9:30 a. m. and 4 to 5 p. m., with telephone 142-2. She will make her home with Mrs. N. Fay Smith on the Birnam road and for emergencies phone 251 can be used.

Miss Purrington's home is in Greenfield on the Bernardston road and she attended and graduated from the Northfield Seminary. After a course in nursing at the New England and Deaconess hospitals, she became a nurse at the Betsey Moody house on the Seminary campus. Last summer she attended a course in Public Health at the University of Minnesota. She began her work in Northfield as District Nurse last Tuesday and comes to us highly commended. She also has been designated as the school's nurse. The co-operation of all our people will be gladly offered to her in her new undertaking.

## Baseball Monday; Montague Here For Labor Day Special

The final game of the season for the Northfield baseball team will be played on Monday, Labor Day, with the Montague Rod and Reel team. This team has been the best competitor in previous games and now a real struggle for supremacy is expected.

The game will be called at 2:30 o'clock on the new High School grounds and will be the first public exhibition on the athletic field since its construction. It will be, in a sense, the inauguration of athletic games on the new grounds and they are in very good condition.

The game Monday should be a fast one. Both teams have splendid records. The Northfield team which consists wholly of local young men has won this season, 18 games lost 6 and tied with two. A large crowd will probably be on hand to witness this game.

## Very Fine Words

The August issue of the Eastern States Co-operator of Springfield contains a picture of the Tenney Farms at the time of the flood and underneath is this comment which we quote:

"Less than five months lie between such a scene as this and the dry sod of our mid-summer pastures. Here is an air view of the farm of C. S. Tenney, Eastern States local representative in Northfield during the March flood when 346 head of purebred Jerseys perished in these barns. One of the most staggering agricultural losses by an individual on record! But now the comeback Mr. Tenney is making adds a new and heartening chapter to the story. With 165 milking cows back in his stanchions, and the courage to climb out of the pit of despair this man is showing the world that a catastrophe is a weaker thing than a man's strong will."

## 61 Years Married; Northfield Couple Celebrate Event

Mr. and Mrs. Zachariah H. Wade will observe their 61st wedding anniversary at their home in West Northfield this Friday. Friends will call to extend their congratulations and a real social time will prevail.

They were married in Granville, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1875, by Rev. L. N. Phillips, have been residents of this town for over 20 years and are widely known. Both are more than 81 years of age.

Mr. Wade was a native of Granville and spent his early years farming in that vicinity. He then came here and was superintendent of the Belding farm for 17 years before going to Monson where he was superintendent of the farm of the Monson state hospital for some time. Returning here several years ago, he purchased the so-called Finn place where the couple have since resided.

For a number of years Mr. Wade was engaged in the cattle business. He was always particularly fond of good horses and has owned a number. At one time he made a hobby of collecting sleigh bells, particularly those of unusually tones, and accumulated an unusually large number. He has been a Mason for 40 years and a member of Harmony lodge of Northfield.

Mrs. Wade, who was Miss Nancy P. Buxton, was born in Danby, Vt., and has a large circle of friends. Poor health has curtailed her activities in local organizations. They had one son who died a number of years ago.

The Northfield Press in behalf of the citizens of the town extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wade and trusts the future will provide continued health and happiness to them.

## Is A Candidate For State Senate Seat

The Republican voters of the Franklin-Hampshire district will have an opportunity at the primaries on September 15 to nominate James A. Gunn for senator to the State House in Boston. For the past four years Mr. Gunn of Turners Falls has been Representative of the 3rd Franklin District, and his record has been outstanding because of his unflinching opposition to the dictatorship and greed of the present Democratic administration.

In his four years of service in the Legislature, Mr. Gunn has never deserted his party. For the past two years he has been chairman of the Committee on Banks and Banking. He has served on committees for Old Age Assistance and Flood Relief. He is in favor of Biennial Sessions of the Legislature and has voted consistently for lower taxes and economy. He has been actively interested in legislation that would benefit the farmers and milk producers.

Mr. Gunn is married, his wife being a Northfield Seminary graduate. He has two daughters, Alice and Phyllis, and a son, James, Jr. For 30 years he has been in the clothing business in Turners Falls, a trustee of the Crocker Bank for 20 years, a member of the Masons, Odd Fellows, and the Grange. He has been a governor of the 30th District of Rotary International, comprising all of the state of Connecticut and the western part of Massachusetts.

On the six principal spending measures of the last session of the Legislature, Mr. Gunn's record of voting is declared "perfect" by the Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers' Association.

His pledge: "I pledge the voters of the Franklin-Hampshire District that, if I am nominated and elected, I will support in the Senate the measures and policies of the next Governor of Massachusetts—John W. Haigis."

"I will NOT be disloyal to my party or to my constituents for personal preferment of gain."

"I will NOT advocate new tax schemes to provide the spenders in government with more and more money from the pockets of the taxpayers."

"As I have done for four years in the House of Representatives, I WILL vote in the interests of ALL the people—and this means that I WILL support every reasonable economy measure."

The many friends of Mrs. Jennie Forman will be happy to learn that she is feeling quite well again at her home in Portsmouth, Va. She and the family have been very much missed here this summer.

## Seminary-Hermon Schools Will Open Tuesday Morning, September Fifteenth; Applications Exceed Accommodations

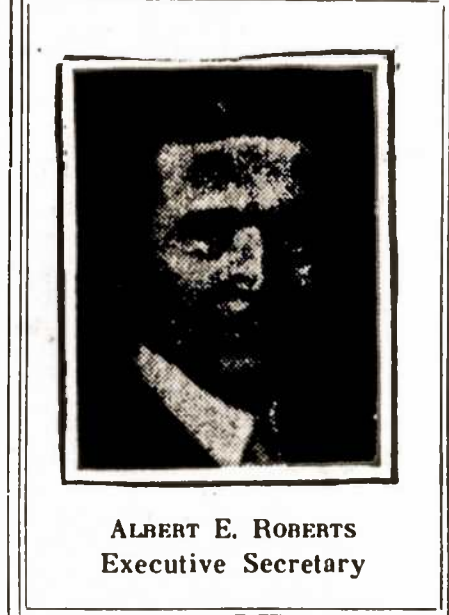
### Many New Teachers; Large Senior Class

It may well be said that "Moody still lives," so far as the aims and purposes of the Northfield Schools are concerned and his efforts to reach and educate those deserving students whose education would be limited without the opportunities which the schools offer. In the founding of the schools Dwight L. Moody built better than he knew and

tive in speaking with Mr. Albert E. Roberts, the executive secretary of the schools found him with a smiling countenance and quite optimistic over the prospects for the coming school year. He said that he believed the Northfield Schools are destined for a very bright future and that its position in the educational world would be fully recognized as one of the great secondary school movements of the world. Today students come



MIRA B. WILSON  
Principal Seminary



ALBERT E. ROBERTS  
Executive Secretary

the observance of his Centenary next year will pay a tribute to his foresight and humble efforts.

Over 1100 young men and women will wend their way next week to Northfield and both Hermon and the Seminary will be taxed to the limit to accommodate the students. Provision is being made to house many off the campus in order to afford the facilities of the schools to the largest possible number.

Some changes have been made in the teaching staff and many new faces will appear on the faculty list. A Press representa-

from many nations as well as from America and its friendly relations are established in a circle reaching round the earth.

The town of Northfield is honored with these schools in its midst and the appreciation of them should be manifested in a willing spirit of cooperation by all our citizens.

Headmaster Dr. David R. Porter of Mount Hermon and Principal Mira B. Wilson of the Seminary find themselves very busy engaged these days in arranging all details for the opening of the schools.

## Enters Quilt Contest

Mrs. Charles L. Johnson of 138 Main street, East Northfield will enter and exhibit a rare and old quilt in the Third National Quilt contest at Storowtown, the New England Village on the Springfield Exposition grounds, Sept. 20 to 26 inclusive. Already a large number of the quilts are being received which are marvels of workmanship and design from women competitors in 39 states.

The quilts in themselves are a regular treasure trove and represent thousands of hours of painstaking effort and expert craftsmanship. Classified as antique and modern, prizes will be awarded in each division, and all will be on display to the hundreds of thousands of visitors throughout Exposition week.

## Splendid Program

Guests of The Northfield and Chateau were entertained in the parlors of the hotel last Saturday evening by Christine Coleman Ostberg, dramatic reader of Orange, who has received much commendation on the originality and variety of her program.

Many townspeople joined the guests of The Northfield to enjoy this delightful entertainment by Mrs. Ostberg and her accompanist, Ruby Lawton Noyes.

Seth Field, who is manager of the Dirigo Theatre at Ellsworth, Maine, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Field, will be visited this week end by his brother Calvin and by Dr. Aaron Newton, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Chauncey Newton.

## Dairy Farmers Enjoy New Profits In Up Surge of National Income



Scientific feeding is bringing new profits to American dairy farmers.

Government estimates the total cash income of farmers for the first six months of this year at \$3,291,000,000, or \$335,000,000 over the same period in 1935, and dairy farmers, despite imports, prospered in good measure.

High importance now is attached to the ration of the dairy cow, farm economists assert. Recent official studies show that soybean oilmeal is strongly favored as a protein supplement for large production of milk and butterfat. Such studies by experiment stations show that it provides the variety

last year's soybean crop of 41,000,000 bushels, twice as large as any previous crop, found a ready market, with increased oilmeal feeding to dairy cows, hogs, sheep and poultry.

"Practically all of the good commercial dairy rations in the corn belt now contain soybean oilmeal," said President I. O. Bradley of the National Soybean Processors Association, in commenting on the fact that last year's soybean crop brought a return to farmers of over \$0 million dollars and promises to become a major farm crop in future years.

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### School Lunches

With members of school lunch committees discussing ideas and plans for the coming school season, Miss May E. Foley, extension nutritionist at the State college offers these suggestions for well-balanced lunches for the children.

The best way to assure good nutrition she says is to plan the noon lunch according to the food needs of an active child. Nourishing lunches may be planned around one inexpensive hot dish. Sandwiches, milk, raw fruit, and sometimes cookies may supplement this hot main dish.

Some of the hot dishes that have proved successful for school lunches are creamed vegetables, meat and vegetable stews soups rich in vegetables or milk or both, beans and other legumes, eggs prepared in some simple way, cheese in white sauce or with tomatoes.

If the lunches are planned a week ahead, main dishes can be chosen that will include the various kinds of food which the children need. For example, the menus for each week may include an egg dish, a meat dish, a fish dish, a soup rich in milk, and a dish using or made of beans or some other dried legume. Two of the recipes each week may well include tomatoes.

A convenient way to provide raw vegetables for school lunches is in sandwiches. Finely chopped raw carrots, cabbage, lettuce or celery may be lightly salted and mixed with a little milk salad dressing for sandwich fillings.

Miss Foley has prepared a leaflet called the *Good School Lunch* which may be obtained free by writing to the Mailing Room, Massachusetts State College, Amherst, Mass.

### August Rainfall

August weather apparently sought to offset the lack of precipitation during May and June by providing a total of 7.04 inches of rain and creating 15 rainy days out of the 31. There have been three other months in the past five years when a precipitation record of over seven inches was recorded: This last March, 8.20 inches; September, 1934, 9.69 inches; and November, 1932, 7.06 inches.

There have been only five other months since 1920 when more than seven inches of rain has fallen. The record for the entire period was in August, 1928, when there was 9.29 inches.

However, the ground has absorbed much of the rainfall and as yet there is very little water in our brooks and water pools.

### SALAD-OF-THE-WEEK

By Elsie Stark



AND now we come to the happy ending. It's a surprise ending, too. Instead of pie, pudding or cake, we shall top off tonight's hearty dinner with a dessert salad. From fresh pineapple, grapefruit and some round white cherries, we shall evolve a new and delightful dish. See how it goes!

**Pineapple Dessert Salad**  
1 cup diced pineapple  
1/2 cup grapefruit sections, free from membrane  
1/2 cup white cherries, halved  
2 tablespoons confectio-ners' sugar  
French dressing  
Cream cheese  
Whipped Cream  
Mayonnaise

Cover pineapple with sugar. Mix pineapple grapefruit and cherries and marinate in French dressing. Chill and serve on shredded lettuce. Garnish with cream cheese balls rolled in chopped nuts. Top with Whipped Cream Mayonnaise. Serves 8.

**Whipped Cream Mayonnaise**  
1/2 cup real mayon-  
1/2 cup cream, slightly whipped  
2 teaspoons confectio-ners' sugar  
Fold real mayonnaise into whip-  
ped cream. Add sugar. Makes 1 cup mayonnaise.

### Mileage Hints

By J. F. Winchester  
Supervisor of Motor Vehicle Equip-  
ment, Colonial Esso Marketers

THIS is the season when persons living in the mountainous sections of the country vacation at the seashore and residents of the sea coast find relaxation and change in the mountains.

Motorists who drive from the mountains to the lowlands, or vice versa, often wonder why their automobiles seem to act differently away from home. Frequently they attribute it to imagination. Actually, however, it is not imaginary. Atmospheric conditions have much to do with the action of a carburetor and, consequently, with the performance of the engine. An engine which would run satisfactorily at sea level, for example, might very well lack power and overheat at an elevation 5,000 feet above sea level. The reduction of air pressure with increases in altitude affects the compression of the engine. Then, too, water boils at a lower degree at higher altitudes, permitting the engine to overheat more readily.

Therefore, if you plan to drive from the coast states to spend a considerable period in the mountains, it is advisable to have the carburetor adjusted once you have reached the higher altitudes. This will save gas but should only be done by an expert mechanic. The same holds true if you plan to leave the mountains and visit the lowlands for any length of time.

### Win Honors for Craftsmanship



**RICHARD WITCOMB** (left), 15-year-old Worcester youth, and **DIAMOND W. LONG**, 19 years old, of Springfield, who won first place in the Junior and senior divisions, respectively, in the state-wide model coach-building competition conducted by the Fisher Body Craftsmen's Guild, when their miniature traveling coaches were adjudged the best of those submitted by boys in Massachusetts. Each will receive \$75 in cash from the General Motors-sponsored educational foundation.

## In The WEEK'S NEWS



**LEAD MINORITY FACTIONS**  
— Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder and leader of the Old Age Revolving Pensions, Ltd., (left), the Rev. Gerald L. K. Smith (center), leader of the Share-the-Wealth Clubs founded by the late Huey Long, and the Rev. Father Charles E. Coughlin, founder of the Union for Social Justice, at the recent convention of the Townsendites.



**OFF TO TEXAS**—The Lone Star State's jamboree is attracting leading stage and screen headliners from all over the country. Here Ted Lewis, veteran band leader, is ready to start for a Centennial appearance in the new Buick convertible he selected for his journeyings around Dallas.



**SUIT WITH HAT TO MATCH**—Jane Hamilton, picture star, who loves colorful ensembles is shown wearing an all-over design printed cotton beach suit, with hat to match.



**ADOPTS LITTER OF PIGS**—When all but one of her puppies died, Lillie van Perbeck, an aristocratic Doberman Pinscher, at Hollywood, California, adopted a litter of red Duroc pigs and all is now serene in her unusual family.



**SIAMESE TWIN WEDS**—Before a huge crowd of spectators, Violet Hilton, of the famous Hilton Siamese twins, is married to James Moore, a dancer of San Antonio. The camera has caught the bride and groom.

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### LOCALS

The Book Club will meet with Mrs. A. H. Wright at her home this Friday.

William H. Dalton has been chosen as the chairman of the Democratic town committee.

The Northfield Press is a newspaper which goes into practically every home in this trading area and is read.

The town finance committee held an important meeting with the Selectmen at the town hall last Friday evening.

Two weddings will take place in Northfield on Saturday of two well known young ladies and an account of them will appear in next week's Press.

Miss Therese Simar has been making some extensive and artistic rock terraces around her home. They have been much admired.

According to a record at the Registry office, Martha A. Murdock of Northfield has transferred property in Millers Falls to Alphonse E. Murdock of Millers Falls.

The lower room in the Bookstore building is being adequately refurnished and redecorated for the use of Mr. Sam E. Walker in his insurance business. It is conveniently located, right off the street at the side of the building.

Postmaster M. C. Skilton has retired as secretary of the Western Mass. association of Postmasters which held its annual meeting at Lee last week.

Don't forget to attend the auction sale of the household furniture at the Auditorium Bookroom next Wednesday. It may provide an opportunity for you.

Mrs. Helen Anderson has returned to New York. The family will be here some time longer. Mrs. Anderson has delighted many with the showing of moving pictures which she took on her six months' trip to China and other countries.

In District court at Greenfield last Monday, Anthony Fressola, who gave as his residence, Northfield, was fined \$50 for driving an automobile after his license was suspended. Trooper Peltier had made the arrest in Northfield on Sunday night.

Members of the cast who produced the play "Phantom Bells" for the choir of the Congregational church in the town hall early in the summer gave a repeat performance in Townsend, Vt., last Friday evening. Those who attended, appreciated the effort and spoke highly of the showing.

Edward Scoble of Northfield Farms, found guilty of driving to endanger, appealed a fine of \$200 imposed by Judge Philip H. Ball in District court last Friday. The defendant was represented by Atty. William L. Davenport, and the case was the result of a recent accident in which Jean Laurie, two-year-old of Greenfield was instantly killed.

### LOCALS

The fourth annual field day and skeet shoot of the Franklin County League of Sportsmen clubs will be held at the Millers Falls Skeet field, Sunday, Sept. 13. A program that will take nearly all day to complete has been arranged.

The Republican Town Committee met at the home of Mrs. L. A. Polhemus last Friday evening with members of the newly named finance committee to plan its campaign of action to begin immediately. Mr. S. E. Walker, chairman, presided. Mr. A. G. Moody is chairman of the finance committee.

It is rumored that a local Gar Wood invited a number of friends for a moonlight sail on the waters of the Connecticut this week. All accepted whom he invited and his speedy craft was well loaded when it left shore. Now, it wasn't a particularly new boat and it suffered strain. Without warning somebody's foot went through the bottom and then a rush for the shore. Yes, somebody got wet and the story of that evening's expected excursion is a moonlight mystery.

Wednesday was a rainy day and it rained hard when the special train with Vice-Presidential candidate Frank E. Knox pulled into the railroad station at Greenfield where he was greeted by a band and over a thousand Republicans. John W. Haigis, candidate for Governor of Massachusetts and other Republicans were on the train. Candidate Knox addressed the crowd briefly and made a very favorable impression. Northfield citizens were present to aid in the demonstration.

### Anthony Stamps Placed On Sale

Postmaster Skilton of the East Northfield post office has received a consignment of the new Susan B. Anthony commemorative stamps issued in connection with the 16th anniversary of the ratification of the nineteenth amendment granting suffrage to women.

The new stamp is of the ordinary size, arranged vertically, the central design being a portrait of Susan B. Anthony. It is enclosed in an oval frame with white edges and dark ground. In a curved panel at the base of the portrait is the name "Susan B. Anthony," while in a narrow panel at the lower edge of the stamp is the inscription reading "Suffrage for Women." The stamp is of the 3-cent denomination and is issued in sheets of 100. It is said to be the first U. S. postage stamp bearing a woman's face. Many are delighted with the issue and it finds popular favor.

1st Ditto: What do you take for your insomnia?  
2nd Ditto: A glass of wine at regular intervals.  
1st Ditto: Does that make you sleep?  
2nd Ditto: o, but it makes me satisfied to stay awake.

### SOUTH VERNON

Miss Esther Johnson of Oberlin College, is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Julia Ennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Johnson of Northampton, were Sunday guests of their aunt, Mrs. Julia Ennis.

The South Vernon P. T. A. has postponed its meeting scheduled for Tuesday evening until further notice.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, who has been a guest the past week of her sister, Mrs. Julia Ennis, returned home in Amherst, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. William Durfee, have returned to the Vernon Home from the camp meeting in Greene, R. I.

Services at the South Vernon church will be as usual next Sunday. Worship at 10:45 a. m. Sunday school at 12:15 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Mid-week service at the Vernon Home, Thursday at 8:00 p. m.

The Vernon fish rearing station has just been inspected by the State authorities and the ponds are now being put into good condition. It is expected that a large number of trout will be placed in the brooks and streams of Windham county early this fall.

A wedding reception was given in Grange hall in Vernon, to the two South Vernon bridal couples, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Bruce, last Wednesday evening, by the Vernon Grange. A sum of money was given each couple by the Grange.

Six members of the Vernon Grange and two from Northfield Grange, attended the Pomona meeting at Putney, Vt., Monday night. They were E. W. Dunklee, Harry Amsden, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bruce, Mrs. E. P. Edson and Mrs. M. H. Brown. The two from Northfield were Mrs. Ralph Gibson and Mrs. C. I. Holton.

### Get Your Sticker On Your Automobile

Motorists driving on the highways from the 10th to the end of September may expect to be stopped by police and motor vehicle investigators unless they have a red sticker on the car windshield indicating their car equipment has passed official tests.

Inspectors began at approved stations last Tuesday, Sept. 1, and every community in the state has such stations. Northfield motorists will do well to attend to the matter at once.

By law motorists must have their equipment checked twice a year at registered inspection stations to insure proper operation of brakes, lights and other equipment. Leeway of 10 days is given before the officers begin to get in their work. Registrar Frank A. Goodwin has warned that plates will be taken away from any car owner whose car is manifestly in an unsafe condition.

Beginning this month, also, all persons over 65 must take a re-examination as to their driving ability when seeking renewal of their licenses.

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Baker's COCOA	1/2-lb can 7c
Black PEPPER	8-oz. jar 13c
Ralston Checker CORN FLAKES	pkg. 5 1/2c
Lighthouse CLEANSER	3 cans 8c
Kellogg's SHREDDED WHEAT	pkg. 10c
Colored or Plain TISSUE	roll 2c
Sliced or Halves PEACHES	lge size can 12c
Jonston's Assorted JELLS	4 pkgs. 13c
Armour's CORNED BEEF HASH	2 1-lb cans 25c
Armour's CORNED BEEF	can 15c
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Del Monte DELUXE PLUMS	2 2 1/2 cans 29c

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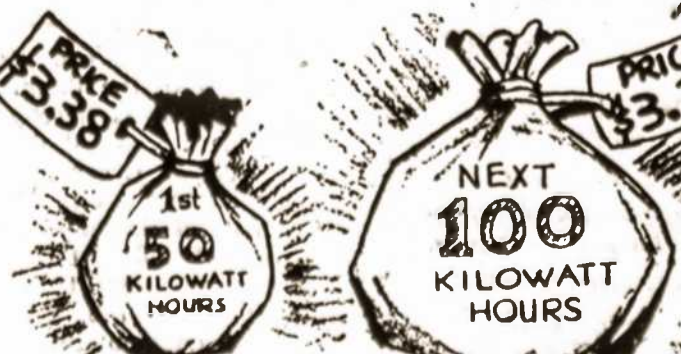


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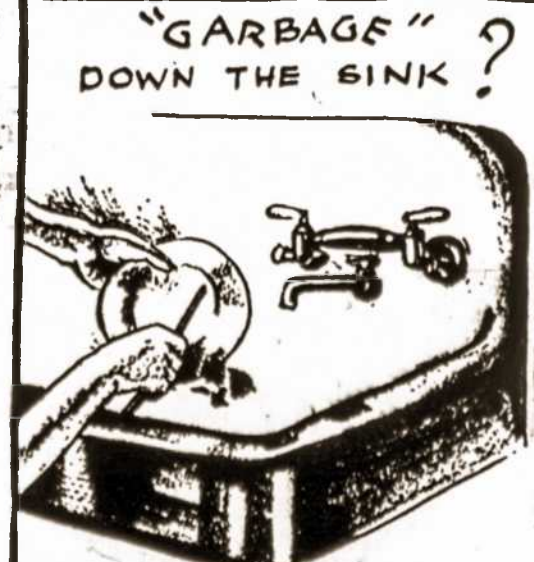
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### To Represent State In National Show



LOUISE BOTTUM

Eighteen-year-old Louise Bottum, 4-H clothing club member of Florence, will represent Massachusetts at the National 4-H Style Show, to be held in Chicago in November. Announcement of the award was made today by Miss Marion E. Forbes, assistant state 4-H club leader at Massachusetts State College.

Miss Bottum is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bottum of 3 Trinity Row, Florence, and her winning of the Chicago trip climaxes a five-year record of exceptional work in three 4-H projects, clothing, canning, and homecraft. She has been in the blue ribbon class in the state dress contest for the past three years, and received an "Excellent" rating in this year's state contest. Her dresses have been entered twice in the National 4-H dress contest at Chicago, and last year she received a second prize ribbon. She has won county honors in clothing and canning for several years.

The costume which won her the Chicago trip is a white linen school suit and consists of jacket, skirt, and blouse. She patterned it herself, selected the color combination and material, and made it at a cost of \$6.78. Shoes, undergarments, and stockings brought the total to \$13.49. Louise made the hat and gloves herself. It is this outfit which she will model at the national contest in competition with members from all parts of the country.

In Ireland a century or more ago many Roman Catholics, including priests, were Masons, and today in Latin American countries there are quite a number of Masons who are Roman Catholics. Although Freemasonry does not exclude any believer in the Deity, it is rare these days to find a Roman Catholic in the United States of America who is a member of the Masonic Fraternity.

### At The Victoria

Friday and Saturday, September 4 and 5 will appear Jimmy Hodges with his stage revue "Laff Town Laff". On the screen "Freshman Love" with Frank McHugh and Patricia Ellis.

Starting Sunday, September 6 and continuing for four days on the screen "Suzy" with Jean Harlow, Franchot O'Ne and Cary Grant. Co-feature is "King of the Pecos" with John Wayne.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who so understandingly helped and comforted us with expressions of sympathy and gifts of flowers at the time of our recent bereavement.

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H. P. Chamberlin  
R. E. Chamberlin  
Mrs. M. C. Barrett  
Mrs. D. C. Bolton

### LEGAL

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 304 of the Banking Act of 1935, notice is hereby given by the First National Bank and Trust Co., of Greenfield, with main office in the city of Greenfield, State of Massachusetts, and with branch office at Northfield, Massachusetts, that the liability imposed upon the holders of shares of its common stock by the provisions of Section 5151, U. S. Revised Statutes, as amended, and Section 23 of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, shall cease on July 1, 1937.

By order of the  
Board of Directors  
D. R. ALVORD,  
Cashier

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Roberts of Highland avenue, are on a vacation trip to Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. J. F. Kendrick will have 22 Seminary girls at Kenhome on Highland avenue, this fall.

Mrs. Raymond Tenney and son, of Peterboro, N. H., is visiting her brother-in-law, Charles Tenney, and family.

Mr. Charles S. Tenney of Northfield Farms who has been on a business trip to Canada has returned home.

Miss Theresa Ellis, who has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Charles Leach at Sunset inn, has returned to Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holden of Boston spent the week end with Mrs. Holden's mother, Mrs. M. P. Stanley of Highland avenue.

Miss Emily Foster of Highland avenue, has returned from a week at Camp Perkins, the Holyoke Girl Scout camp.

Miss Sophie Servaes is spending the week end with her parents in Boston who are celebrating the 40th anniversary of their wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson have returned from a trip to Indianapolis where Mr. Johnson was a delegate for the Rural Carrier's convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Boardman and daughter, Dorothea, of Epping, N. H., visited their aunt, Mrs. Bessie Symonds last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Walker are enjoying a motor trip this week end and meanwhile observing the fortieth anniversary of their marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pearson and daughters, Mildred and Dorothy, have returned from a pleasant vacation spent at Bar Harbor, Maine.

W. H. Waite and son, Joseph, of Springfield, with grandchildren, Robert Sherwood, Victor and Wayne, spent last week end on the Maine coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Spring of Main street are leaving Northfield and will take up their residence at Riverside in Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Warren Whitman and daughter, Miss Louise Whitman, of 24 Highland avenue East Northfield, are spending ten days at Tide Edge Cottage, Gloucester.

Rev. and Mrs. George D. Owen and family of Orlando, Fla., are staying for a short time in East Northfield in Covert cottage before again going south. Rev. Mr. Owen has been preaching in Foxboro this summer.

Honoring Miss Marian Kendrick, Mrs. Robert Watson and Mrs. William Bollman gave a very charming tea at the Chateau on Monday, August 31. Fifteen guests were present.

Lawrence Durgin finished work at the Seminary for the summer and is taking a vacation in Boston, Concord and on the New Hampshire coast. He will leave for Dartmouth college on September 12.

Dr. William G. Beland of Winchester, N. H., was in town last week Friday, greeting several friends. He is opening an office in Winchester for the practice of dentistry.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chauncey Newton are spending a few days in Wells, Maine.

Prof. and Mrs. Melvin L. Gallagher have moved into one of the missionary houses on Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Newton and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Griggs are spending the week in Wells, Maine.

Mr. Leishman Peacock and wife left Monday for their home at Hamilton, N. Y., where he is a teacher in Colgate University.

Miss Beatrice Newton, R. N., of Boston spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Chauncey Newton.

Mr. Ralph Hale moved his family to Hinsdale, N. H., where he has employment with D. P. Welch as truck driver.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barrows are vacationing at Cape Cod. Their son Richard, is visiting relatives in Melrose, N. Y.

Miss L. F. Dean entertained at cards last Friday in honor of Mrs. Nims who is living here in her lovely home on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Pearsall and family are enjoying a well-earned vacation at Westport N. Y. on the shores of Lake Champlain. His friends presume he is spending much time fishing and that upon his return he will make a distribution among them.

The engagement of Miss Helen Dexter Grady and Robert C. Halsey, both of Maplewood, N. J., has been announced. Mr. Halsey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund R. Halsey, former property owners and residents of East Northfield, and the young man spent many of his summers here.

Mr. Charles E. Stebbins of So. Deerfield, who was a member of the double quartet which led the singing at the Northfield General Conference last month has accepted a position as minister of music at the Methodist church in Royal Oak, Mich., and begins his work there this week.

Several social affairs were given last week by Northfield residents as well as by summer sojourners. Afternoon teas and bridge parties predominated to say nothing of the social hour which prevailed.

Miss Polly Parker is leaving for Portland, Oregon where she will be engaged in the Dispensary of Reed College. While there she will further her studies to obtain a degree. She is taking her trip westward by way of the Canadian Pacific railroad in order to see the beautiful scenery of the Canadian Rockies.

Dr. John Madden and family of Rose cottage are happy in the safe return of their son, Jack, who with Robert Aylsworth, made a long trip over The Long Trail beginning at Bennington, Vt. The boys walked two hundred and fifty miles and returned in a canoe down the Connecticut river.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sterling report a splendid visit to Toronto, Canada, and Niagara Falls, where they went with Rev. Arthur Eason and Arthur Jr., the middle of the month. Both ministers have now returned to their respective churches at Burlington, Mass., and Saugerties, N. Y.



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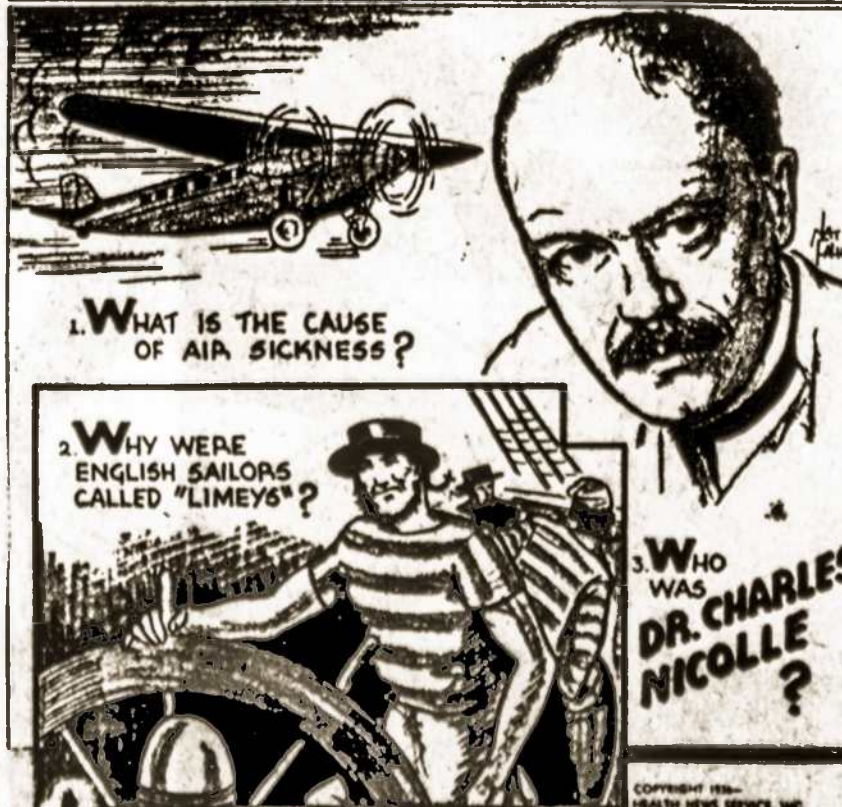
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2. WHY WERE ENGLISH SAILORS CALLED "LIMEYS"?

3. WHO WAS DR. CHARLES NICOLLE?

Answers:

1. Like seasickness, air-sickness is attributed to many causes: sudden violent air "bumps," motor and propeller noise, mental attitude, etc. Sudden and unusual movements of the plane are generally accepted as first cause.

2. On the old sailing ships, a daily ration of lime juice was given to each

English sailor to prevent scurvy. Today tomato juice and the juices of citrus fruits, oranges, lemons, etc., are known as the sources of Vitamin C, a cure for scurvy.

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Primaries—September 15, 1936  
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### Ober - Clerke

Miss Alice Clerke, daughter of Mrs. Adam Clerke of Port Washington, N. Y., was married on Monday, August 31, in Port Washington, to Carleton H. Ober of White Plains, N. Y. and Northfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Richard Hegarty of Port Washington. The couple are now on a brief tour of New England.

### Buy's Randall Farm

Joseph L. and William T. Urgiewicz of West Northfield have purchased the farm of Leon A. Randall according to a transfer at the Registry office at Greenfield last week. The Urgiewicz farm just west of the Schell bridge was badly damaged by the flood waters last spring and is practically useless and the new purchase will afford them the proper facilities to carry on their farm. Mr. Randall has not stated what he expects to do.

### Final Concert

A final concert for the season by the Northfield Hotel musicians will be given in the parlors of the hotel on Saturday evening at eight o'clock to which the townspeople are invited. The artists are Carleton L'Hommiedieu, pianist; Emilio Calvacca, violinist; and Mr. and Mrs. Al Raymond, vocalists. A large audience is expected to enjoy the splendid program which has been arranged.

Miss Francina McRoberts, a frequent visitor to Northfield is the guest of Mrs. William J. McRoberts at her home on Linden street.

Mrs. Arthur Eason and daughter, Clare, have gone to their home to make ready for the return of Miss Clare who is entering Northfield Seminary this fall.

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For the coming year staff writers have gone to two of the greatest football teams in the country—Minnesota and Southern Methodist—for first hand tips on strategy, blocking, ball carrying, passing, and the fine points of line play. They have written the story of Bobbie Wilson, All-American halfback.

They have interviewed famous track coaches like Bernie Moore and Bob Simpson. Have gone to the University of Oklahoma to learn how college champions wrestle, to Notre Dame for the story of the building of a great basketball team. They have sought out famous baseball players, swimmers, tennis champions, and All-American backs, to get their story of how to play the game.

AMERICAN BOY fiction is jammed with instructive background details telling how to play a better game. And the rest of the magazine is jammed with adventure, exploration, vocational help and articles vital to boys.

Ohio State University's track head, coach of the famous sprinter and low hurdler, Jesse Owens and himself a former hurdling star, first learned to hurdle from articles in THE AMERICAN BOY. "I used to cut out hurdling pictures and duplicate them in front of a mirror. Then on the track I'd follow that form."

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### Civil Service Exams

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for Principal Weight Clerk at \$2300 a year, Senior Weight Clerk at \$2000 a year, and Assistant Weight Clerk at \$1620 a year, to fill vacancies in these positions in the Naval establishments throughout New England. At the present time there is a vacancy in the position of Principal Weight Clerk in the office of the Inspector of Machinery, U. S. N., Bath, Maine; vacancies in the positions of Senior and Assistant Weight Clerk at the U. S. Navy Yard, Boston, Massachusetts; and one vacancy in the position of Junior Weight Clerk at \$1440 a year in the office of the Superintendent Constructor, U. S. N., Electric Boat Company, Groton, Ct., which will be filled from the Assistant Weight Clerk register.

Information and applications may be obtained from the Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, at the Post Office in East Northfield, Mass., or from the Manager, First Civil Service District, 1040 U. S. Post Office and Courthouse building, Boston with whom applications must be filed on or before Sept. 11, 1936.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Howard and daughter, Helen, and Miss Staffie Wozniak, have returned home after spending a week at Newfound Lake.

Mrs. John Kasandi of Highland avenue, who has been under observation and treatment at the Farren hospital is much improved and has returned home.

Send your subscription to THE AMERICAN BOY, 7430 Second Blvd., Detroit, Mich. Enclose with your name and address \$1 for a year's subscription, \$2 for three years, and add 50 cents if you the subscription to go to a foreign address. On newsstands, 10 cents a copy.

### Schools and Industry Unite in Sponsoring Vast New Youth Movement to Fill Void in Education



TAKING cognizance of problems arising from the increasing complexity of modern society, business leaders and school authorities in Detroit are combining their efforts in the joint sponsorship of a new youth movement intended to supplement the work of the nation's educational system. Results of lasting benefit to the country are predicted by supporters of the plan, including School Superintendent Frank Cody, who cites the records of the 45 scholarship winners in the Fisher Body Craftsmen's Guild competitions as evidence of what may be expected. 1—Donald C. Burnham, of West Lafayette, Ind., in his hydroplane, built with the rebate given

students at Purdue, whose names appear on the distinguished list. 2—Mr. Cody presents plaques to the winners of the inter-school model coach-building competition in Detroit as Guild Secretary William S. McLean looks on. 3—Raymond A. Smith, of Lawton, Okla., another \$5,000 scholarship winner, masters the trombone to become a member of the Carnegie Tech Little Band. 4—Howard Jennings, of Denver, Colo., an amateur composer of no mean ability, follows his hobby while attending the state university. 5—Charles W. Gadd, of Spokane, Wash., builds an integrator as an aid in his study of calculus at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

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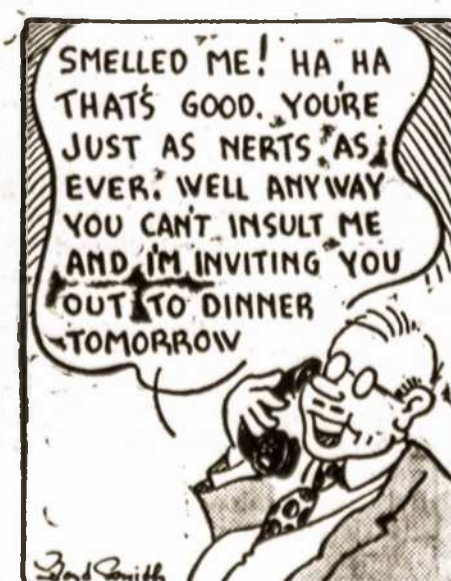
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### EDITORIAL

Political strategists know the  
value of a popular symbol in a  
Presidential campaign. Modest  
Kansans, backing Landon for the  
Presidential nomination at the  
Cleveland convention brought  
along 10,000 felt sunflower but-  
tons bearing the name "Landon,"  
hoping that somehow they could  
induce visitors to wear them. In  
two days, the supply was ex-  
hausted and one Cleveland fac-  
tory worked day and night turn-  
ing out more than 10,000 a day  
during the remainder of the con-  
vention. Keen observers pointed  
out that this wave of Kansas sun-  
flowers heightened the impres-  
sion of the inevitability of Lan-  
don's nomination.

Republican generals are opti-  
mistic in public — but insiders  
say that all isn't cheer and  
laughter when they meet in pri-  
vate.

The party has just emerged  
from the leanest three years in  
its history. Its local organiza-  
tions are in almost incredibly  
bad shape in many states, and  
they can't be built up to the de-  
sired level in the few months re-  
maining before November. And  
the Democratic machine never  
functioned more smoothly and  
efficiently than it is now func-  
tioning.

### The Back Yard Gardener

I've just spent three of the  
most glorious days of my life  
down on Cape Cod. The funny  
part of it is I spent them at the  
House of Correction for the  
County of Barnstable, but since  
this is a backyard garden story  
and not a jail story, I've got to  
get busy on gardening.

I want to answer one or two  
questions which have come in  
to me from readers. One was  
from a lady who states that her  
border has been in use continu-  
ally for twenty-one years and  
that it has both shrubs and flow-  
ers. And this year she wants to  
reset it since it seems to be run-  
ning out on her. She wanted to  
know how to go about doing that.

Furthermore she states that  
there is both shade and sun light  
on the border. She wants to put  
in iris, some hardy lilies, and a  
few hardy roses. She says she  
notices that the annuals do not  
do as well as the perennials. Her  
soil is sandy but fertile and the

trees and shrubs are rather  
large. To me that sounded like  
a rather general question so I  
figured my answer would be of  
help to others.

I would say that the shade  
causes a great deal of the trou-  
ble. By that I mean that when  
shrubs and trees are large, they  
take away moisture which the  
plants need.

The first thing to do in remak-  
ing this old bed is to dig out the  
clumps of flowers or shrubs  
which you wish to keep. Fix  
them so that you can keep them  
for a day or two without their  
drying out. Then edge the bed  
up properly and cover it with  
about three inches of cow man-  
ure if you have it. If you haven't  
use complete fertilizer 5-8-7 at  
the rate of about one-half a  
pound to each square yard of  
bed. Also apply about 4 pounds  
of ground limestone to one hun-  
dred square feet of bed. Spade all  
of this thoroughly into the soil.

Then divide the perennials you  
wish to replant, and reset very  
carefully. Follow the old motto  
of a five dollar hole for a one  
dollar plant. By that I mean have  
the hole plenty large enough to  
accommodate the roots.

If you decide to use annuals in  
such a location, of course the  
thing to do is to put the annuals  
in the sunny part of the bed. An-  
nuals invariably require more  
sun.

The other request which I  
wanted to answer was from a  
lady who said: "Will you please  
tell me what to do for gladioli  
which will stay just as the bloss-  
oms begins to open? I notice  
small black insects inside the  
bud. Last year I had no trouble,  
but this year I purchased addi-  
tional bulbs, some in the five and  
ten cent store, and some from re-  
liable seedsmen. I have heard  
that bulbs should be treated be-  
fore planting. I tried dusting but  
was not successful."

The answer I'd say is that her  
gladioli are affected with thrips,  
one of the most measly little  
pests we have. And the worst  
part of it is that you can't do  
anything about it at this season  
of the year. The only thing you  
can do is when you dig up your  
bulbs, store them very carefully  
and disinfect them thoroughly in  
naphthalene flakes, use tight paper  
boxes or paper bags and then tie  
the top. Use about one ounce of  
naphthalene flakes to each one  
hundred bulbs or corns. If you  
do this, you will have no further  
trouble with thrips.

If anyone else wants a little  
leaflet on gladioli thrips, I'll be  
glad to send it to you.

Mr. J. J. Jenkins and wife of  
Bronxville, N. Y., who have been  
spending their vacation at High  
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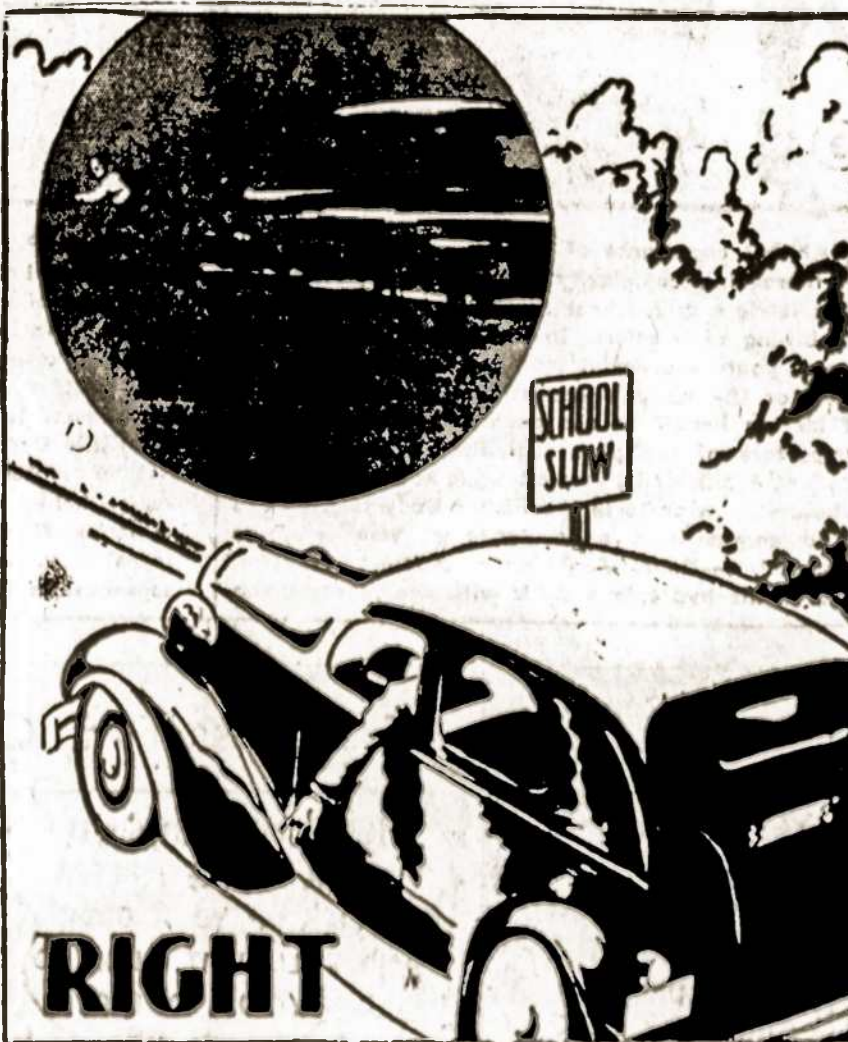
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ton said, "No occurrence in the  
course of the war has given me  
more painful sensations than your  
information of there being such  
ideas existing. . . I must view (it)  
with abhorrence and reprehend (it)  
with severity. . . You could not have  
found a person to whom your  
schemes are more disagreeable. . .  
I let me conjure you, then, as you  
have any regard for your country,  
concern for yourself or posterity, or  
respect for me, to banish these  
thoughts from your mind, and never  
communicate, as from yourself or  
anyone else, a sentiment of the like  
nature."

Following the war, Virginia se-  
lected Washington as a representa-  
tive to the Constitutional Con-  
vention even before it. He became the  
convention's chairman. Upon ratifi-  
cation of our Constitution he was  
unanimously elected as our first  
president, unanimously re-elected.



and after completing his second  
term he established the custom that  
no president should serve a third  
term.

Throughout his long political life  
including his own terms as presi-  
dent (for all of which he declined  
pay), Washington consistently op-  
posed an all-powerful executive as  
repugnant to a constitutional de-  
mocracy because harmful to the  
liberties, freedom and general wel-  
fare of the people.

(Next Week: "Washington and  
The Courts")

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### POET'S CORNER

#### SUMMER'S END

Another summer's gone, and we  
must homeward face.  
Back to the city we will carry  
What we have gained of strength  
and joy,  
Though we fain would tarry  
And stay forever in this woody  
place.

Lord, help us paint the beauty  
of summer skies  
For those who never see the roll-  
ing hills;  
And bring fragrance of flowers  
and pines  
To old folks suffering ills;  
And sunshine and laughter to  
children's trusting eyes.  
E. Northfield Helen Peck Moore

#### \*YOU ARE NOT SIXTY!

The years have sped upon their  
way  
The sunshine mingled with the  
gray  
Life's joys and sorrows had  
their sway,  
But LOVE has triumphed, and  
so we say  
You don't LOOK LIKE SIXTY

Old Father Time, he drags along  
You do not list his siren song  
You spryly dodge his every wile  
And wear an everlasting smile—  
You don't ACT LIKE SIXTY.

As the days slip behind the years  
With their perplexities and fears  
You meet their challenge with a  
grace  
Which shows upon your lovely  
face—  
You don't SEEM LIKE SIXTY.

As Father Time chalks up the  
score  
The sun rolls 'round, he adds one  
more;  
I think his figures are all con-  
fusion  
And so I've come to this con-  
clusion—  
YOU ARE NOT SIXTY!

\* Verses said to have been sent  
to a lady a few days before her  
sixtieth birthday.

#### THE LITTLE HOUSE AT ENDERBY

As I came down the little street,  
the little street,  
As I came down the little street  
to the little house of tears,  
I heard the beat, I heard the beat,  
I heard the flutter and the beat,  
I heard the sound of dancing  
feet echo from far-off years.  
The dead lay in the cottage small:  
I could not feel its grief at all  
But heard, far-off and very sweet,  
the echoes from old years.

In the cottage were the candles:  
mourner's candles, burning  
brightly,  
In the cottage were the mourn-  
ers and the mourners all were  
dumb:

Deep the shadow of their sor-  
row but I heard there, tripping  
lightly,  
Far and faint but very clearly,  
like the throb of some great  
drum.

Dancers in a house of laughter  
and the murmur of fond  
whispers:  
Voices and jesting and sweet  
echoes and the silks that  
rustled low:

All the little house of mourning  
seemed to fill with glad con-  
fessions  
And the place of death was vi-  
brant with the joy of long ago.

I heard the sound of dancing  
feet from out the house of  
tears:  
Far off voices calling gently  
with all the joy of youth:  
Odors flooded flower-lined path-  
ways: lovers lingered in the  
hallways

For the happy dead, rejoicing,  
revelled in the happy truth.  
This is death, this old-time dan-  
cing: this, the music, faint, en-  
trancing,

Rhymed, with love of lovers  
loving where the music breaks  
to song:  
In the little house of mourning  
there may seem no joyous  
morsing

But the dead dance happy dances  
through the night we find so  
long.

—Owen R. Washburn  
Gulfport, Vt.